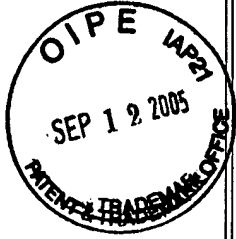


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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 10, 2005, a reply to which is due September 10, 2005. In view of the amendments and remarks presented herewith, entry of the amendments and reconsideration are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this submission.

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